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SIGNALS SUPERIMPOSED AS PREDETERMINED BITS IN

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Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action dated July 8, 2009, having a three-month shortened statutory period for reply set to expire on October 8, 2009, please amend the above identified application as follows.

Frommer Lawrence & Haug LLP 745 Fifth Avenue New York, NY 10151 212-588-0800 Customer Number 20999 **Amendments to the Claims** is reflected in Listing of Claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.

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